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Dear Chet,

Enclosed are copies of letters to Bob Rowland and Robley Evans which I wrote at your urging. I hope they have some effect. I suspect any real arrangement will require your sitting on Bob and nagging him until something is worked out. I understand from Newell Stannard who was trying to determine the status of your Pu task group report that Bob has the same kind of administrative and personnel problems we all share. Perhaps if you make a concrete proposal in writing as the basis for negotiations, and take the paper work off his shoulders, you might make more progress than just leaving it up to him to arrange shipments as so forth.

I don't know that there is anything much more I can do, but if more conversations or letters would, in your judgement be of help, I will try to help.

See you at LRPA -- provided we don't have another landslide.

Sincerely,

Patricia W. Durbin
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